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NETWORK SYSTEMS

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**PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME  
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Applicant hereby requests a two month extension of time for response to the *Final Office Action* herein dated February 5, 2004. The grant of this *Petition* will extend the time for response from May 5, 2004 to July 5, 2004.

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